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WORKFORCE PARTNERSHIP AWARDS BREAKFAST FEATURES FOUNDER OF WORLD'S LEADING ONLINE CAREER SITE

Hiring and retaining quality employees can be a monstrous task. That's why the Maricopa Workforce Connections and Phoenix Workforce Connection have invited Jeff Taylor, founder of monster.com and a recognized innovator and visionary in both the Internet and career industries, to be the keynote speaker at the sixth annual Workforce Partnership Awards Breakfast 7 - 9 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 19, at the Phoenix Airport Marriott, 1101 N. 44th St.

Taylor will offer his expertise on recruiting, employee retention, innovation and the future of human capital. He also will share his story of taking a 1,200-employee company and making it one of the strongest and most well-known Internet brands in the world. Monster.com is the world's largest leading online career site with a global network that reaches 21 countries and 14 million visitors each month.

Taylor has an undergraduate degree from the University of Massachusetts at Amherst; Certificate-Owner/President Management (OPM) Program, Executive Education, Harvard Business School; and also holds an Honorary Doctorate from Bentley College.

The breakfast will recognize two local employers for their exceptional support of the programs and services provided by Maricopa Workforce Connections and Phoenix Workforce Connection, the sponsors of the awards breakfast. Tickets are \$85 per person or \$1,000 per corporate table.

Maricopa Workforce Connections and Phoenix Workforce Connection provide employment, training, education and career-related services to businesses and job seekers in Maricopa County and the city of Phoenix. They develop and train a



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competitive workforce through partnerships with businesses, educational institutions, government agencies, and community and faith-based organizations.

For more information or to purchase tickets, call 602-506-4838 or visit maricopaworkforceconnection.com.